



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

Food and Drug Administration  
Rockville MD 20857

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Dear Drs Wolfe & Barbehenn:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to remove alosetron (Lotronex) from the market was received by this office on 09/05/00. It was assigned docket number 00P-1499/CP 1 and it was filed on 09/06/00. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Jennie C. Butler  
Dockets Management Branch

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